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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mark Chee et al.

Application No.: 08/856,376

Filed: May 14, 1997

For: POLYMORPHISMS IN HUMAN
MITOCHONDRIAL DNA

Customer No.: 20350

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 26, 2003, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.